

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/790,689  
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Applicant: Pierte Roo  
Group Art Unit: 2611  
Examiner: Siu M. Lee  
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR REDUCING  
ELECTROMAGNETIC INTERFERENCE AND  
GROUND BOUNCE IN AN INFORMATION  
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM BY CONTROLLING  
PHASE OF CLOCK SIGNALS AMONG A  
PLURALITY OF INFORMATION  
COMMUNICATION DEVICES  
Attorney Docket: MP0304

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**RESPONSE TO ACTION OF JANUARY 4, 2010**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 4, 2010,  
please consider the remarks set forth below.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.